PUBLIC WORKS AND FACILITIES COMMITTEE

Council of the County of Maui

Meeting Agenda

June 18, 2008 9:00 a.m. Council Chamber, 8th Floor 200 South High Street, Wailuku, Hawaii

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PROHIBITING THE USE OF NON-BIODEGRADABLE PLASTIC BAGS

DESCRIPTION:

The Committee is in receipt of the following:

- 1. County Communication No. 07-232, from Councilmember Michael J. Molina, transmitting a draft bill prohibiting certain businesses from providing non-biodegradable plastic bags and requiring the use of environmentally-preferred alternatives.
- 2. Correspondence dated November 6, 2007, from Councilmember Michael J. Molina, transmitting correspondence, dated November 6, 2007, from the Department of the Corporation Counsel, transmitting a revised proposed bill entitled "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A NEW CHAPTER 20.18, MAUI COUNTY CODE, PERTAINING TO PLASTIC BAG REDUCTION". The purpose of the revised proposed bill is to prohibit certain businesses from providing non-biodegradable plastic bags and requiring the use of environmentally-preferred alternatives.

STATUS:

The Committee may consider whether to recommend passage of the revised proposed bill on first reading, with or without further revisions. The Committee may also consider the filing of County Communication No. 07-232 and other related action.